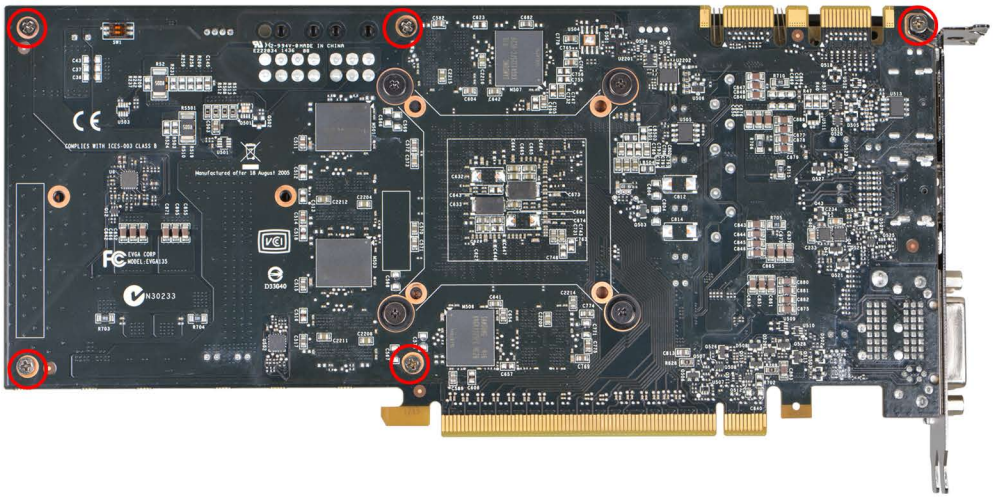
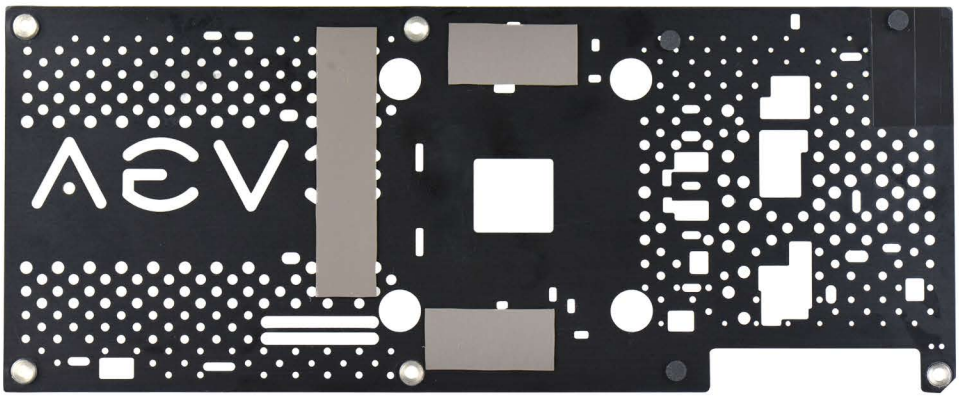
Step 1

Remove the 5 circled screws indicated below. Remember to keep all accessories in case your card needs to be returned to EVGA.



Step 2

Remove the protective cover from the backplate. Place on back of card and align the screw holes.



Step 3

Use the 5 provided screws (not the ones you removed) to install the backplate to the PCB. Once the backplate is firmly attached to the card you are now ready to install your GTX 970 graphics card.

The mounting hole closest to the top of the mounting bracket will need the included nut to secure the screw. Hold the nut centered over the hole and thread the screw through the nut, this will keep it in place.